



Crescent Hill Newsletter

December 1991

Holiday Open House

The annual Holiday Open House at the Peterson-Dumesnil House, 301 South Peterson Avenue, is scheduled for December 3, from 7-5 p.m., and you're invited.

The event features free desserts, light refreshments, holiday entertainment, and an opportunity to enjoy them in an historic home all decked out for the holidays.

The holiday atmosphere will begin with luminaries on the driveway, placed by the Boy Scouts of Troop #1. The sound of bagpipes will greet you at the door. Inside, the Louisville Singers will perform songs of the season from 7 p.m., followed by harpist Rosanna Thompson at 8 p.m.

A holiday gift shop on the second floor of the house will feature sweatshirts, t-shirt and mugs with the Crescent Hill logo. Just Creations, a Frankfort Avenue store which sells crafts from third-world countries, will also be selling gift items. The Animal Rescue League will offer animal treats (suitable for favorite pet's holiday stocking). Other non-profit organizations may also be participating in the holiday gift mart.

The Peterson-Dumesnil House was built in 1869 and leased to the Crescent Hill Community Council in 1977. It was purchased in 1984 by the newly-formed Peterson-Dumesnil House Foundation, which raised over \$165,000 to buy the house. The Foundation continues to manage the house, making it available to community, corporate and civic groups and private individuals at reasonable rental rates.

The house is on the National Register of Historic Places and has been designated a Louisville Landmark.

The Holiday Open House is a popular event for all Crescent Hill residents. Start the holiday season off right by joining us on December 3!

Olde Tyme Christmas on Frankfort Ave

The Frankfort Avenue Business Association invites you to join us in welcoming in the holiday season by attending the second annual "Olde Tyme Christmas on Frankfort Avenue." The event is scheduled Saturday, December 7th.

Special activities have been planned all along the avenue. Many private businesses are planning activities at their stores for your pleasure and enjoyment.

Some of the events scheduled through the Frankfort Avenue Business Association include:

Santa's visit to Crescent Hill, will be held on the lawn at the "Water Works" at 4 pm.

Horse & Buggy rides at three locations along Frankfort Avenue. Buggy stops will be marked and no parking will be permitted in these special areas.

Santa's Visit to Clifton will be at "Frames and Things", 1942 Frankfort Avenue at 4 pm.

Contest for "Best Decorated Private Home" on Frankfort Avenue. Judging will be Thursday evening December 5th. Gift Certificates valued at \$200 will be awarded to 1st place winner. To enter contest call Margaret Cannon 896-4706

Contest for "Best Decorated Business Storefront", judging will be Thursday evening December 5th. To enter contest call 896-4706.

"Sounds of the Season" at Third Lutheran Church 1864 Frankfort Avenue at 5 p.m.

"Chancel Choir Carolers" at Crescent

Hill United Methodist Church (corner of Peterson & Frankfort) from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

"Holiday Manor" by Barret Middle School Orchestra Ensemble at two locations; Another Place Sandwich Shop at 6 p.m. and Clifton Pizza at 6 p.m.

The Frankfort Avenue Business Association sincerely hopes you and your family will come out and enjoy these events that have been planned especially for you.

A special brochure is being printed that will include special ads, a map showing locations of stores and events and an updated list of events. We invite you to visit any Frankfort Avenue Business Association Member store and pick up your special brochure. Brochure will be available for you in Mid-November.

Happy Holidays from
Frankfort Ave. Business Association

Coming Attractions

- House Decorating party... December 1
- Holiday Open House..... December 3
- St. Nicholas' Day..... December 6
- Olde Tyme Christmas
on Frankfort Avenue.....December 7
- January Newsletter
Deadline.....December 13
- Christmas Day December 25

